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# Beyond

for double bass and percussion

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#### FOR THE TOM TOM DUO

### **BEYOND** FOR DOUBLE BASS AND PERCUSSION

Beyond is written for double bass with a tuning of: D,A,D,G

The percussion instruments used are: 2 octaves of crotales, mark tree or wind chimes.



**Beyond** was composed for contra-bass and percussion and is dedicated to the "Tom Tom Duo".

### **COMMENTS**:

The tempo of the piece is very free and slow. The moving lines should be played in a plain chant style.

The contra-bass 'E' string is tuned down to 'D' and the three lowest strings are strummed quietly ad-lib. throughout the piece in the style of a guitar using the thumb of the right hand.

The upper contra-bass line is played as a flageolet until measure 7 where it becomes 'loco'. At this point the 2 lower strummed notes are played with the left hand while the right hand plays 'arco'

The commas are breathing spaces

Places in the composition that should be played together are marked with an arrow. All other parts can be played at will or according to the position in which they are drawn.

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